

# CITY NEWS.

## LAST CALL THIS YEAR

Edison says that when this great war is over, the energies of the world will be glad to turn to invention, engineering and productive labor and that the greatest constructive advance in history will follow.

What sense or profit is there for us in waiting until after the war to buy and sell, to reap and sow, to make and order, to live and let live? You may have heard of the little girl who was bawling lustily with her brother, who wanted a drink, but who said she herself was only "helping Bobbie cry." Among the millions of business men in this country there are always some who are unhappy. No matter how good their reasons, no real help is given by helping them cry.

We hope no customers of ours will hold their breath or hold their orders. We shall be glad to receive them, and fill them, and we believe the result will be good for both.

Permit us to remind you that we are doing business at the same stand.

Our service during the past two years both to the business and professional man as well as those in charge of the most deluxe social functions has been one that might well have been envied by a larger and more efficient establishment operated by members of the opposite race.

It has been our constant attempt to guard every order placed with us with accuracy and dispatch.

We appreciate the patronage we have received from our myriad of patrons in the past; but we have, what you yourself must also feel, a hankering for more business. The Postman passes your door and ours and we are at the other end of the Bell telephone, East 2782.

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Mrs. W. R. Herndon of Denver, Col., will spend the holidays visiting relatives in this city.

The Nafziger Bakery is the home of the famous Butter Cream bread.

Mrs. J. T. Black, 2533 Michigan, who has been very ill, is improving nicely at present.

Any subscriber square with our books can take advantage of our \$1.00 rate by paying now.

The best Sunday dinner for the price can be obtained at the Y. M. C. A. cafeteria. Ladies welcome.

Miss Anna Gilbert of Topeka will visit her sister, Mr. D. M. Johnson, 1907 Paseo, during the holidays.

What more suitable gift could you present a friend than a year's subscription to the Kansas City Sun?

Mr. and Mrs. C. Davis of Shiloh, Tex., are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Benj. Williams, 2914 Woodland avenue.

Yes, women are welcome in the Y. M. C. A. cafeteria. No tipping in the Y. M. C. A. building.

Mr. Clay E. Prassfield, 3013 Wyandotte street, was the first of our loyal subscribers to take advantage of our special rate.

Mr. L. B. Thomas of Lincoln, Neb., will visit his sister, Mrs. Gusie Shelby, and mother at 818 East Tenth street, Christmas.

Miss Myrtle Washington of Chicago, Ill., who has been very ill at the residence of her sister, Mrs. Beatie King, is slowly improving.

Rev. and Mrs. T. H. Wiseman announce the birth of a 11-pound girl. The mother and baby are doing nicely. Mrs. Wiseman was Miss Claudia

Miss Victoria Overall, 2116 Woodland avenue, will keep open house New Year's day for her friends and pupils at the studio. Hours 2 to 7 p. m.

Miss Clara Carter has been transferred from the Garrison school and assigned to the vacancy in the Lincoln school caused by the resignation of Miss Ida Overall.

Miss Lizzie Gleaves left the city Wednesday night to spend the winter at Dubuque, Ia. She spent a week with her father at Osage, Kas., and friends at Topeka before leaving.

Mrs. Zipporah Joseph Parks of Denver is to be the guest of her sister, Miss Moxella Joseph, during the holidays. Mrs. Parks was formerly a domestic science teacher in our public schools.

Mrs. Pauline Washington of St. Paul is visiting her mother, Mrs. Parale Hoffman, 1902 Howard street, during the holidays. Also her grandson, who has been ill but is now much improved.

Mrs. Grace Thomas Martin of Jersey City, N. J., has been quite ill undergoing an operation for appendicitis under the care of Dr. Cannon, the East's greatest physician, and is now improving nicely.

Poro hair dressing, hair weaving and facial massaging. Scalp treatment a specialty. Mrs. E. Norles, 1737 Paseo, upstairs.

Mrs. Mary McClendon, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Beatie King, and father, Mr. Archie Washington, left last Saturday morning for St. Louis to join her husband, Mr. A. D. McClendon.

Mrs. Bertha Morehead of Sweet Springs, Mo., is in the city visiting her sisters, Mrs. C. H. Davis, Mrs. Ella Daniels and her friends, Mrs. S. M. Winston, and is doing her Christmas shopping.

Grand entertainment Christmas night, Dec. 25, 1914, at Armory hall, Cottage and Vine streets, under the auspices of Enterprise Court No. 32, O. O. C. and Moses Dixon Temple No. 12777. Admission 15 cents.

One of the most beautiful Christmas trees we have ever seen was the one at Wendell Phillips School for the kindergarten children, arranged by Miss Lella Warrick, assisted by her assistants, Misses Sweetman, Johnson and Kenney. One of the delightful surprises was the fact that all the decorations were made by the little tots themselves. Each child also made a souvenir for their parents, some of which were very unique and pretty. The patrons of Phillips School have a right to feel proud of Prof. Foster and his excellent corps of teachers, and especially the work of Miss Warrick.

Have you tried Cactus Corn Cure?

Wanted—Young woman to take hospital training graduate course. We pay salary, board and uniforms. Write Wheatly-Provident Hospital, 1214 Vine street, Kansas City, Mo.

Rev. E. D. Green of Palmyra passed through Monday en route home from Fort Scott where he preached last Sunday. Rev. Green is one of the ablest Baptist ministers in the state and is loved by all who know him.

### TAKE NOTICE.

To correspondents, club reporters and others:

On account of New Year's coming on Friday, the day of publication, the Sun will be published next week on Wednesday and should reach our subscribers on Thursday. Take due notice and govern yourselves accordingly.

### CHRISTMAS PLANTS

#### FOR SALE.

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MRS. IDA M. BECK.

### A LITERARY TREAT.

Hear Mrs. Ida M. Beck's in costume recital, patriotic, dramatic, descriptive and humorous selections. Special music for the occasion under the management of Mrs. S. W. Baote. Given under the auspices of the church trustees, Thursday, January 7, 1915, at 8:30 p. m. Admission 15 cents.



PROF. WM. H. DAWLEY.

Principal of Lincoln High Night School, President of Allen Chapel Christian Endeavor, Grand Registrar of the Grand Lodge A. F. & A. M., a thirty-third degree Mason, Past Counselor Court of Calanthe, a gentleman, a scholar, and a Chesterfield in manner, who is beloved by all who have the pleasure of his acquaintance.

### HEAR YE! HEAR YE!

Master Masons, Heroines of Jericho and Honored Ladies of the O. E. S.

Behold! the Daughters of Isis assisted by the Nobles of the Mystic Shrine and the local ladies of the Golden Circle assisted by the Sublime Princes of the Royal Secret, invite you one and all New Year's Day after 3:00 p. m., to their open house, 2327 Lydia avenue, the residence of Grand Inspector General R. T. Coles, Past Grand Master.

Mrs. M. L. Crosthwait, Commandress, Ill. W. G. Mosely, Potentate, Mrs. Ada Baker, Loyal Lady Ruler, Ill. R. C. Pierce, T. P. G. M., Ill. Anthony Dickens, Wise M., Ill. Geo. W. Johnson, V. C., Ill. D. N. Crosthwait, C. in C.

### A PLEASANT SURPRISE.

At the closing meeting of New Hope Temple No. 138, which was held Thursday afternoon, December 17, at the U. B. F. Hall, 1420 E. 18th street, Mrs. Sara Lee Hammett, the secretary, was very happily surprised with a beautiful gold watch, a Christmas present from the officers and members of her Temple. When the business of the meeting was over, the Princess of the Temple, Miss Magnolia Lewis, ordered Mrs. Hammett's books closed and Mrs. Hammett brought before the throne. She came with open-eyed wonder on her face. Said Miss Lewis: "Sister Hammett you are charged with faithfully discharging your duty for the past three years. Knowing that you are giddy, I shall not appoint a jury to sit upon your case, but shall proceed to fix the punishment." All this time the members were spreading a table. Mrs. Hammett was seated at the table together with her mother, little daughter, who was there as a surprise to her mother, and the officers of the Temple. All other members present drew their chairs up in a circle around the persons seated at the table. The Princess then gave a few moments for the members who desired so to do, for expressions of appreciation for this splendid woman and her efficient work in the capacity of secretary. Mrs. Maggie Hopson, Princess of Sylvester Temple, was present and added a few words, both fitting and beautiful, to the many coming from the members of New Hope Temple. The Princess then presented Mrs. Hammett with the beautiful gold watch. So great was Mrs. Hammett's surprise and so deep her

appreciation of the gift that she found words inadequate to express her feelings; but with tears coming from her dear heart she thanked and thanked the Temple again for making her so happy on this occasion.

### TO THE LOVERS OF GOOD THINGS TO EAT.

That Christmas dinner will not be complete unless that pie is made with M. B. Carr's home-made mince meat. Leave orders at 1714 East 24th street, or phone Bell East 2595M. Best quality used and prepared with the best of care. Twenty cents a pint—40 cents a quart.

### Formation of Hailstones.

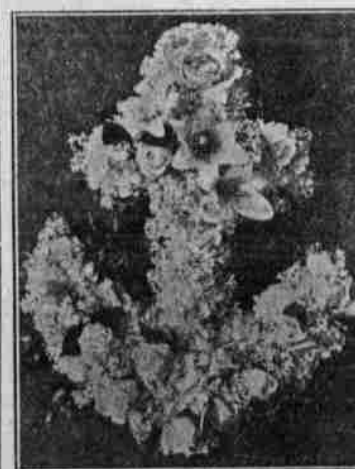
According to a German scientist, hailstones are formed by the electricity of thunderstorms which they accompany.

### Engineering Ants.

The ants of South America have been known to construct a tunnel three miles in length.

### Readily Paid.

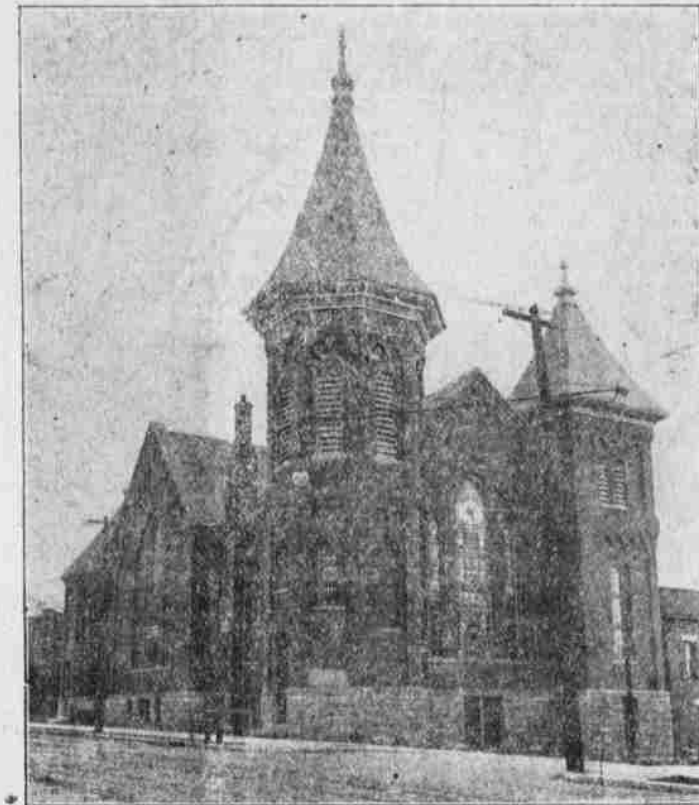
One thing about the wages of sin is that a man doesn't have to go to law to collect them.



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ALLEN CHAPEL.

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### When Buying Rugs.

When buying rugs remember that a dark rug shows dust and lint, and a green fades. Usually the best rugs have small patterns, whereas cheap fabrics have big, bold designs. Tan shades wear well and some reds are lasting. Blue rugs are suitable for bedrooms and red, brown and mixed colors for halls.

### Plants Can Feel.

We now know that plants are able to feel objects at a distance. Certain ferns, for example, will begin to send down a root on the outside of the pot the instant water is placed in the saucer; and, when a fly is placed before a sundew plant the leaf reaches for the insect with its tentacles.

### The Yachting Accident.

First Seaside Bore—"I can remember hearing a strange, gurgling sound; then I suddenly saw before me a huge mass of foam—and do you know what I did?" Second Seaside Bore—"Yes, old top; you let the foam settle a bit, and then had a good swig."

### Greece Rich in Marbles.

Among other minerals the marbles of Greece must be placed in the front rank, no country being so rich in this product as the Hellenic kingdom. Seemingly inexhaustible beds are to be found in Attica, Euboea and the Peloponessus.

### Why Hand Shaking is Dangerous.

Bacteriologists recently found under the fingernails of men, women and children no less than thirteen different kinds of disease germs, including those of tuberculosis, diphtheria and influenza.

### The Alternatives.

"I've got to choose between paying my doctor and keeping up my life insurance policy; I haven't enough money for both." "Stand off the M. D.; if your policy lapses you'll die sure."

### Daily Thought.

Life is short. Let us not throw any of it away in useless resentment. It is best not to be angry. It is next best to be quickly reconciled.—Samuel Johnson.

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2019 Holmes, 4 rms., water and gas, 12.00  
2407 Woodland, 4 rms., 11.98  
2218 Fl., 4 rm., cottage, 12.50  
926 Indep., 8 rms., 30.00  
18 rms., 30.00  
2205 Mich., 4 rms., 8.99  
2077 Woodland, near 2 rms., 4.50  
25th and Parkway, Quindaro, Kan., 1 rm., cottage, 7.00  
406 Haskell, K. C., Kas., 6 rms., modern, 18.00  
4118 Kansas, 6 rms., 10.00  
2149 Montgall, 6 rms., mod., 20.00  
3415 Woodland, 5 rms., gas, water, 12.50  
2128 Vine, 10 rms., mod., 22.50  
Howard and Mich. Sts., 4 rms. and bath, 1st fl., 17.00  
25 fl., 4 rms., 16.00  
24 fl., 4 rms., 15.00  
FIFTEEN DAYS' RENT FREE.

1713 Tracy, 4 rms., \$12.00  
2241 E. 11th, 5 rms., 10.00  
2034 Holmes, 5 rms., water, gas, 18.00  
1722 Oakley, 5 rm., cottage, 10.00  
2111 Highland, 5 rms., water, gas, 12.50  
423 E. 6th, 9 rms., mod., br., 20.00  
2509 Grand, 25 rms., 20.00  
2526 Mich., 4 rms. and bath, 13.00  
2108 Highland, 5 rms., 15.00  
1824 E. 24th, 7 rms., strictly mod., 22.50  
1830 Paseo, 6 rms., mod., 15.00  
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1604 E. 19th, 7-rm., 5-story frame, \$27.50  
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913 Mich., 6 rms., partly modern, 2-story frame. Price, \$1,800; \$100 down and \$15 per month.  
1604 E. 19th St., 7-rm., 2-story modern residence; excellent condition. You can live in three rooms and rent the other four for \$10 per month. Price, \$2,000; \$300 down and \$20 per month.  
Truck Farm, 4-rm., cottage; 1 1/2 acres of ground; fine place for raising hogs and chickens; two blocks from car line. Out of city limits. Price, \$1,800; \$200 down \$10 per month.  
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Six-room brick and frame; three bed rooms and sleeping porch; full modern, furnace, gas range; fine location. Lot 32x125. Price, \$3,150; cash, \$350.

## PARK AVENUE

Six-room frame, all nice large rooms; plenty of closets; house in splendid condition; fine neighborhood; near two car lines. Lot 25x134. Price, \$2,300; cash, \$500.

## PASEO SNAP

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